

MAP OF LAC LA BICHE DISTRICT PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

Scale: 4 miles to an inch.

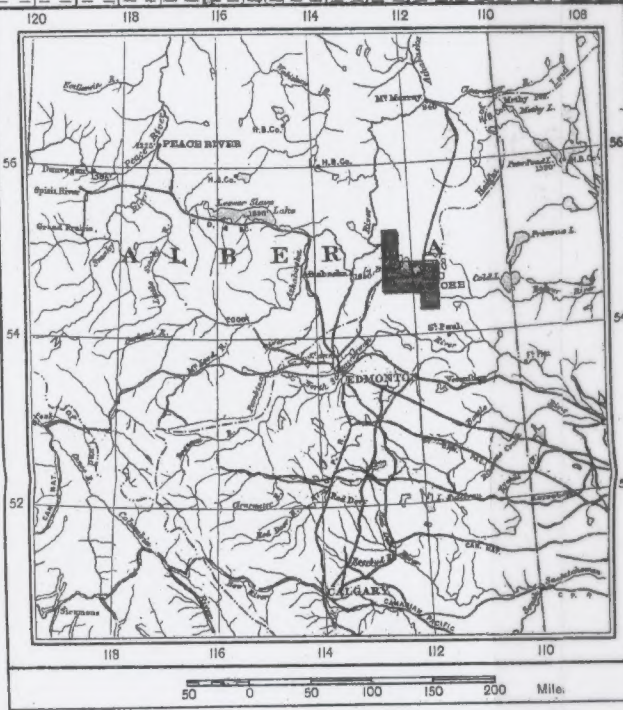
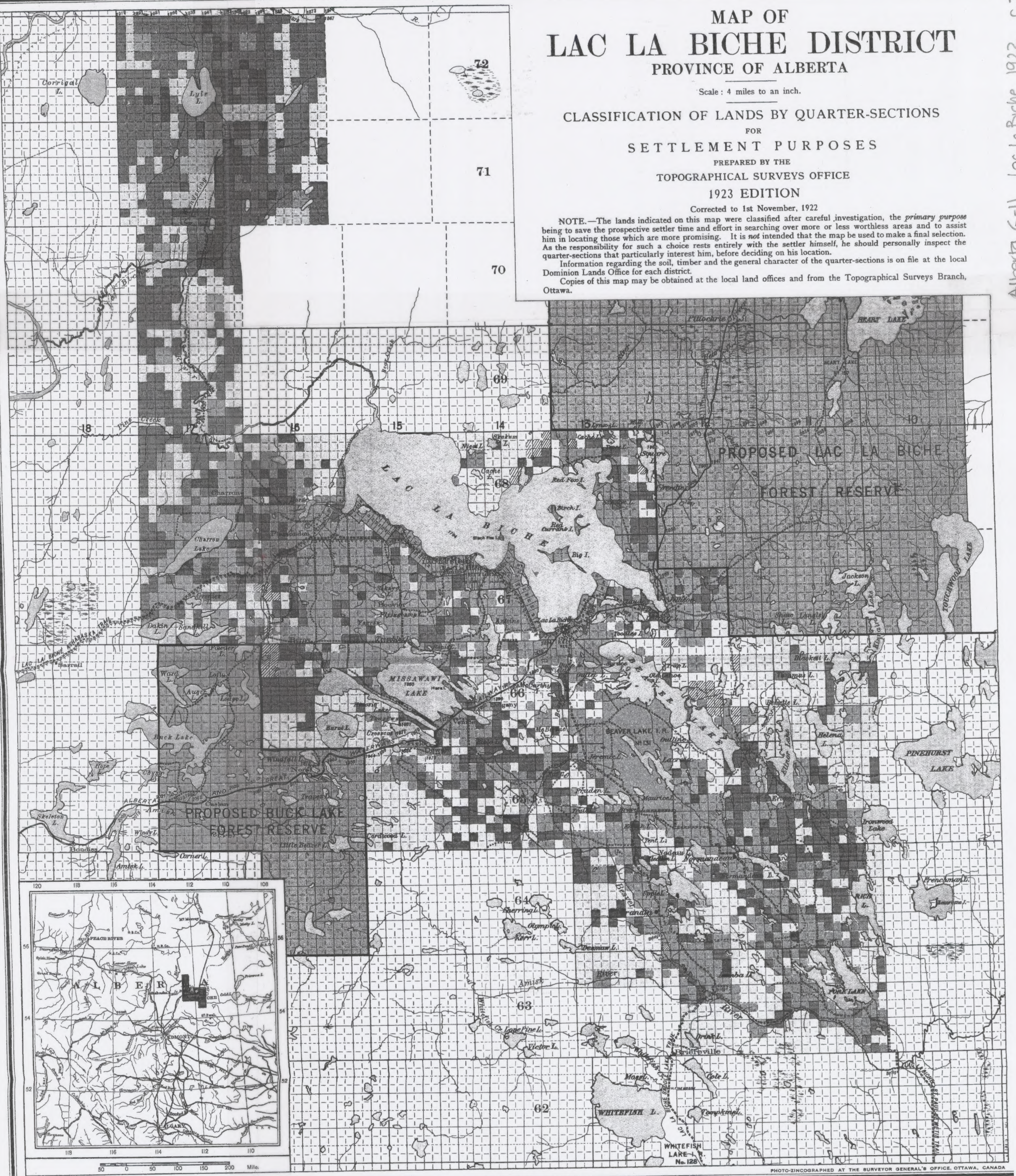
CLASSIFICATION OF LANDS BY QUARTER-SECTIONS
FOR
SETTLEMENT PURPOSES
PREPARED BY THE
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NOTE.—The lands indicated on this map were classified after careful investigation, the *primary purpose* being to save the prospective settler time and effort in searching over more or less worthless areas and to assist him in locating those which are more promising. It is *not* intended that the map be used to make a final selection. As the responsibility for such a choice rests entirely with the settler himself, he should personally inspect the quarter-sections that particularly interest him, before deciding on his location.

Information regarding the soil, timber and the general character of the quarter-sections is on file at the local Dominion Lands Office for each district.

Copies of this map may be obtained at the local land offices and from the Topographical Surveys Branch, Ottawa.



LEGEND

LANDS NOT OPEN FOR HOMESTEAD ENTRY	LANDS REQUIRING EXTENSIVE IMPROVEMENT
Patented, homesteaded or leased; Indian reserves or school lands.....	Completely covered with large trees or very dense stand of smaller trees, with good soil. Lands with lighter clearing, but with considerable stones or very light soil are also placed in this class.....
Lands for which application for lease has been made, or otherwise provisionally reserved.....	HAY MEADOWS
Forest and timber reserves.....	Lands producing a fair quality of wild hay, considerable of which can be harvested in an average season.....
LANDS SUITABLE FOR IMMEDIATE SETTLEMENT	GRAZING LANDS
Considerable portion can be made ready for breaking with very little clearing—soil good.....	Lands with soil not suitable for agriculture but with sufficient growth of grass to furnish summer pasture. Useful when adjoining settled lands.....
LANDS CONSIDERED ONLY FAIR FOR SETTLEMENT	LANDS OF NO AGRICULTURAL VALUE
Light clearing, but soil on the whole may not be the best, or part of the quarter-section may be wet or stony.....	In present condition not suitable for settlement, being usually gravelly, sandy or very wet.....
LANDS WHICH CAN BE ECONOMICALLY IMPROVED	
Clearing more difficult or stony areas more noticeable—soil good.....	

CONVENTIONAL SIGNS

Main through roads.....	Town or Village, population over 500.....
Roads fit for wheel traffic.....	Post Office.....
Pack trails.....	Railway Station.....
River 3 chains wide or over.....	Post Office and Railway Station.....
River under 3 chains wide, Brook, Creek.....	Section lines not yet surveyed.....
Telegraph line.....	Dominion Land Agency.....
Telegraph office.....	Elevations in feet.....

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